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COMYN WINS COUNTY CLASS A TRACK TITLE AND SIPE SPRINGS CAPTURES HONORS IN CLASS B

School Trustee Elections Set For Tomorrow

School trustee elections will be held throughout Texas including Comanche County tomorrow.

There is no contest in the local schools where Walter Barret and Clyde House are candidates for re-election without opposition. Alloting will be in the City Hall.

According to an announcement from the County Superintendent's office, the many school districts of the county are in readiness for their annual trustee election. The polls will open at 8:00 o'clock a. m. and will close at 7:00 p. m. The following is a list of the names which will appear on the ballots of the corresponding school district:

County, Precinct No. 1: W. J. Pitts.

County, Precinct No. 3: Hoi Hockley, C. R. Peterson.

Mercer Creek: Jack Clayton, Albin.

Sabano: J. G. Chupp, Odis Regg.

Mercer Gap: Roy Dutton.

Soda Springs: V. C. Walker.

Newburg: John Levisay, Marv. W. W. Chancellor, Cyril McPerson.

Hazel Dell: T. O. Westmorland.

Duster: I. W. Keith, T. R. Patton.

Pettit: Carl McCullough, W. H. Arkins, Clyde Terrell, Arnold Ottrell, Frank Bean, H. C. Little.

Robinson Springs: A. M. Young, Brush.

Spring: Jess Ladd, Claud Sey, Mose Hornsby, H. L. Deermilk, I. N. Grissom, Jack Ottrell.

Lamkin: Kemp Britain, Ray Polsey, Homer Miller, C. E. Anderson, Harvie Daniel, Marsh Belier, Richard Burt.

Harmon: O. B. Phillips, Ben Halm.

Trinity: V. D. Nowlin, Short Elch.

Hasse: Homer Williams, Joe B. Floyd King.

Gustine: J. W. Hurt, Cleburne Bingham, Willie Williamson.

Proctor: Clemens Luker, T. J. Elley, Jr., Thomas Northcutt, W. Miller, L. G. Holland, J. W. Remble.

Comyn: C. M. Caraway, Sr., J. Chandler, G. C. Mohon.

Sidney: J. K. Lusk, C. D. Stann, J. J. Ward.

Sipe Springs: Dick Wyatt, M. Wallace, H. L. aloway, Guy buser, W. A. Smith, W. J. hymes.

Beattie: G. J. Frazier, S. F. Williams, R. T. Stevens, Van take.

Comanche: W. B. Barret, Clyde Duse.

De Leon: O. E. Rippetoe, George arlie, J. C. (Nig) Caraway, Charles Schnare, Dr. A. M. Reynolds, B. V. (Vollie) Nabors, Lee ubors.

Working At Albin Cemetery Saturday

There will be a working at the bin Cemetery Saturday, April 5 according to W. M. Little.

Every one is invited to come early and bring tools, Mr. Little said.

TRUCK LICENSES VALID UNTIL APRIL 15

Enforcement of truck registration regulations will be suspended until April 15, State Police Director Homer Garrison, Jr., announced Saturday.

After passage by the Senate today of a House resolution extending the registration deadline on April 1, Garrison said 1940 licenses would be valid until April 15.

A new registration law is pending in the Legislature to cover the 38,000-pound load limit law passed by the Governor March 24. The provisions, upping the weight allowance from 7,000 pounds, are now in full force, Garrison said.

STARR'S BURGLARIZED WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Starr's Variety Store was burglarized here Wednesday night, the thieves getting away with a small amount of money taken from the cash drawer and an undetermined amount of merchandise.

Entry was made through the front door which might have been unlocked, Mr. Starr states.

Ground Instructor



The appointment of William Howard Huett of Comanche as a ground instructor at the Dallas Aviation School has been announced by Major W. F. Long, president.

Huett's new duties include teaching navigation and Civil Aeronautics Authority regulations in the commercial school. Huett's interest in aviation dates back to the days of his early childhood and in addition to his ground school work, he is also learning to fly.

After being graduated from Comanche High School in 1935, Huett attended Howard Payne College in Brownwood for three years. Huett and his wife have been living in Dallas for the past year. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Huett of Comanche.

In addition to its commercial branch, where 250 students are enrolled, the Dallas Aviation School also gives primary flight instruction to U. S. Army Air Corps flying cadets as well as specialized training in aircraft mechanics to enlisted men in the Army.

A&M Fire Chief To Speak Here Tonight

Chief Williams, head instructor of the A&M College School for Firemen at College Station will be in Comanche tonight and will speak to the local firemen and the public.

Chief Williams will have with him some of the latest equipment for fighting fires and will demonstrate the use of them according to local Chief Bob Graham, who said that the public is cordially invited.

Two Arrested After Wreck Saturday Night

Willie Stahnke was arrested Saturday night by Comanche County officers for driving while intoxicated after the Stahnke car was involved in a wreck with a car driven by Frankie Wells, Comanche.

Paul Stahnke was arrested and charged with drunkenness. Both men are from the Priddy community.

Mrs. S. C. Wells, mother of Frankie Wells, was injured in the wreck. Mrs. Wells was treated by local physicians for shock and bruises.

The Wells car was badly wrecked. The accident occurred near the county line on the Comanche-Priddy highway.

Willie Stahnke made bond of \$750.00. Paul Stahnke paid a fine of \$17 for drunkenness.

Modern Comanche County Farm Home



Pictured above is one of the better farm homes of Comanche County. It is the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hanson located a mile and a half west of Proctor on the "Round Valley Farm" on which is also located the residence of his father, Walter Hanson.

The photo of this recently completed home is by courtesy of the Farm And Ranch.

Fagan Elected City Marshal

Tom Fagan was elected City Marshal here Saturday, defeating five opponents in the only contested office on the ballot. The vote was Fagan, 120; Jim Cunningham, incumbent, 81; Brooks Carnes, 79; John Cowen, 61; Bert Pate 59, and Mike Sullivan, 17. A total of 425 votes were cast.

Clyde House was elected Mayor without opposition although seven voters wrote in the name of Mayor M. Coleman who refused to allow his name to go on the ticket.

D. P. Parker was elected City Attorney and Dave Dingus, City Recorder. Their names were not on the ticket, but were written in by a number of voters in the blank spaces provided for these offices for which there were no candidates.

Joe Tupin was elected a new member of the City Council and Oswell Brightman was re-elected. Hardie Jones, candidate for City Secretary led the ticket, receiving 419 votes out of the 425 cast.

Farmers Meeting Scheduled Here Monday Night

A mass meeting has been called for Monday night beginning at 8 o'clock to be held upstairs over Coleman's Grocery according to H. M. Vineyard, Secretary of the Comanche County Farmers Marketing Association. Every farmer in the county as well as Comanche business men and women are urged to attend. Vineyard stated.

Vineyard says: I will have the exact figures on the market and fair building that we will try to erect, at this meeting and will be glad to hear it discussed by every farmer and farm wife in this part of the country, so please attend and let's all do our part and really accomplish something for the benefit of everybody.

Revival At Methodist Church Opens Tonight

By Rev. E. R. Gordon

Several committee meetings and small group meetings have been held in the last few days to make plans for the meeting and tonight, Friday, April 4 at 7:45 o'clock the first service in which the general public is invited will be held. The work in the revival will be done by the local people. The pastor, Rev. E. R. Gordon, will do the preaching and the congregation, lead by the local choir, will do the singing.

Friends of the Methodist Church are invited to help promote the meeting in the way they think wise. No church is asked, or expected, to call off any of their regular services but when they pray the Methodist congregation asks them to remember them and at their convenience visit and help them promote God's work through this revival.

There will be no day services through the weekdays but services each night during Passion Week at 7:45 o'clock. Our friends are cordially invited to visit and help us in this meeting.

Cotton Ginnings Show Gain Here

Census report shows that 1264 bales of cotton were ginned in Comanche County from the crop of 1940 prior to January 1 as compared with 1058 bales for the crop of 1939, according to J. M. Marshall, special agent.

Tabernacle To Be Built At Lake Eanes Park

By W. D. Jenkins, President Old Settlers Reunion Committee

The Old Settlers Reunion committee has had several meetings with the view of building a tabernacle at Lake Eanes and of course, in order to build this tabernacle, funds will have to be solicited from the public in general. The Eanes Lake and Park is one of the beauty spots of this whole territory but in case of rain, we have no shelter whatsoever, either for the annual gathering or for family reunions. This is something which we feel is very badly needed and we have the utmost confidence in the willingness of the public to finance this undertaking.

The tabernacle we are going to build is 40 feet wide and 50 feet long with a band stand and speakers stand elevated at one end, size 16x30 feet. I will be covered with grade A shingles and will have rock pillars to hold up the roof. It will have a concrete floor. The estimated cost of such a tabernacle is approximately \$1,000.00.

The committee felt this information should be given to the public before starting the subscription list. We understand that the City will invite family groups and reunions from all over the county to come and enjoy the park and tabernacle without one penny of cost. We have a beautiful lake, swimming pool, and with a tabernacle, we will have the set-up complete.

On next Monday after this publication, we will start out with subscription and all citizens in town and in the country including every precinct in the county will be asked to contribute. This is not going to be heavy if we all cooperate. The list of men who are going to carry the subscription list is not entirely completed but there will be a man in each voting precinct to solicit, in order that we may get it over quickly.

Rural Organizations To Build Their Own Distribution Lines

By A. C. Thomas, Superintendent Comanche R.E.A.

A new "wholesale" rural electrification co-operative, formed to distribute Possum Kingdom Dam power to 13 local cooperatives in 26 counties is preparing to launch a survey for construction of \$1,550,000 network of transmission lines.

The new organization, The Brazos River Transmission Electric Cooperative, was awarded a contract by the Brazos Conservation and Reclamation District board of directors, Tuesday, March 25th at a meeting in Temple, for the entire output of the dam.

Funds for the construction of the transmission system are to be supplied by the Rural Electrification Administration at Washington.

It is announced that \$250,000 in cash already has been made available by R.E.A. and the remaining \$1,300,000 has been earmarked for allotment as the work proceeds.

It is estimated that a full year will be required to complete the system, which will embrace 644 miles of line to serve the following rural electric cooperatives: Hill, Johnson, Wise, Cooke, McLennan, Denton, Baylor, Limestone, Comanche & Eastland, and Erath Counties, also the Trinity County, J. A. C. and Fort Belknap Electric Cooperatives, Inc.

These systems are now in operation and are supplying construction.

EXTENSIVE BUILDING PROGRAM NOW UNDERWAY IN COMANCHE

An extensive building program is now underway in Comanche with over fifteen new houses being started here within the last six weeks.

The new \$195,000 Comanche County court house is nearing completion, and is expected to be finished by July 1. All outside work on the building has been completed, and workmen are now finishing up the inside. Practically all work on the basement and first floor is through.

W. H. Thate. The new brick home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thate, located in the eastern part of town, is practically finished. The home, built by the Gleaton Brothers and Choc Whitlock, is one of Comanche's finer homes.

Reese Drug. Workmen have now torn down the front of the Reese Drug Store, and a new and modern blue glass front will be installed. The building will also be improved on the inside.

T. E. Cameron. Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Cameron are building a nice frame house, located in the northwest part of town. A. M. Ruth had charge of the building contract.

Gilmore Durham. Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore Durham have had a nice new home built in the eastern part of town. It is a four room, white frame. Godfrey had the building contract.

George Bagley. The nice new rock veneer home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bagley is just about completed. This new home is located in the extreme north part of town near the Rev. J. D. Smoot residence.

M. E. Gore. Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Gore are having their home, formerly the Lindsey place, completely remodeled. The house is being replastered and undergoing many other improvements. A new fence has been built around the grounds.

Burton Brothers. The Burton Brothers Warehouse has been enlarged recently. The new warehouse space was built on the southwest part of the original building.

P. A. Gressett. A new farm home for Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Gressett is being built in the Sweetwater community, near Comanche. It is to be a four room frame house.

Delbert Flowers. A home for Delbert Flowers has recently been completed in the south part of Comanche. The new home is a five room frame.

Lillian Durham. Several interior improvements are being made on the Lillian Durham home in the northwest part of Comanche.

Ira Clemons. A new three way garage is being built for Mr. and Mrs. Ira Clemons. Chock Whitlock and Gleaton are building it.

C. P. St. Clair. A new roof has recently been put on the C. P. St. Clair rent house, that he recently purchased from Miss Lillian Durham. Mr. St. Clair made several interior improvements also.

Service Drug. New hardwood floors have recently been put in the Service Drug Store. The fountain has been completely remodeled and overhauled, and other improvements have been made.

James Wilkerson. The new home of Mr. and Mrs. James Wilkerson has just been completed. It is a five room, white frame, and is located in the northwest section of town.

Jack Cuthbertson. Jack Cuthbertson has had two new frame houses built recently. These new homes are located six blocks from the square on the Fort Worth Highway.

Wesley Vineyard. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Vineyard are building a new home in Comanche. This four room white frame, is located near the Hardy Slider residence in the western part of town.

Porter Franks. Porter Franks has just started a new four room frame house adjoining the new home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Cameron. A. M. Ruth has the contract for building this new residence.

Jim Johnson. Two new homes have been completed recently by Jim Johnson. These two houses are to be rent houses, and are located adjoining the Jim Johnson residence in the northeastern section of Comanche.

H. A. Hicks. A new home for H. A. Hicks, who is moving into Comanche from his farm, is just being completed. The new five room frame house is located four blocks from the square on the De Leon Highway.

R. D. Woods. Two new rent houses have just been completed by R. D. Woods. These new homes are located in the southern part of town, adjoining the Woods residence.

Monday Will Be Trade Day Here

Monday, March 7, will be the regular "First Monday" Trade Day in Comanche and a big crowd is expected here for the event. Although it will be a busy day for the farmers if the ground is dry, nevertheless weather, farming conditions, or nothing else, keeps the crowds away from Comanche on First Monday. The Comanche Trade Day is one of the best known and well established in the State.

Many of the merchants are offering special bargains for the week-end and Monday and most of them are advertising these prices in their advertisements elsewhere in this issue.

De Leon CofC Holds Annual Banquet

Over 50 members of the DeLeon Chamber of Commerce, their friends and guests attended the annual banquet at the American Legion Hall in De Leon Tuesday night, according to an article in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. Ross Wolfe of Stephenville acted as toastmaster. Mayor P. T. Daniel delivered an address of welcome, responded to by County Judge H. H. Lockridge of Comanche. Principal speaker of the evening was District Judge R. B. Cross of Gatesville. Other out-of-town visitors who spoke included County Superintendent Dale Howard, County Clerk Mary Fields, W. A. Morgan, vocational agriculture teacher at Comyn.

Musical entertainment of the evening consisted of a piano, violin and cello trio presented by Miss Lizzie Johnson, Betty Joyce Boulter and Mrs. Fredrick G. Harmon, playing "Sylvia" and "Trees."

Matt R. Moore, Free Press publisher, outlined a new plan for election of the queen of the Peach-Melon Festival and committees were appointed to manage the festival, which will be held the third week in July. Dinner was served by De Leon Parent-Teacher Association.

CCC Youths Leave For Camps April 17

A quota of Comanche County young men will leave here on April 15 for CCC Camps according to Mrs. Ernestine Arthur, County Welfare Worker.

All young men interested and meeting the requirements should interview Mrs. Arthur at her office upstairs on the west side of the square, if they haven't done so.

R. W. H. Hamilton Home.

Extensive repairing including some beautiful rock work is now underway on the R. W. H. Hamilton home on West Seventh Street. This, the former L. B. Russell home, is one of the landmarks of Comanche and was arranged for comfort and conveniences, and the work underway will add much to its beauty.

New Majestic

FRIDAY ONLY "BLACKOUT"

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Conrad Reidt And
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The Three Mesquiteers

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—with—
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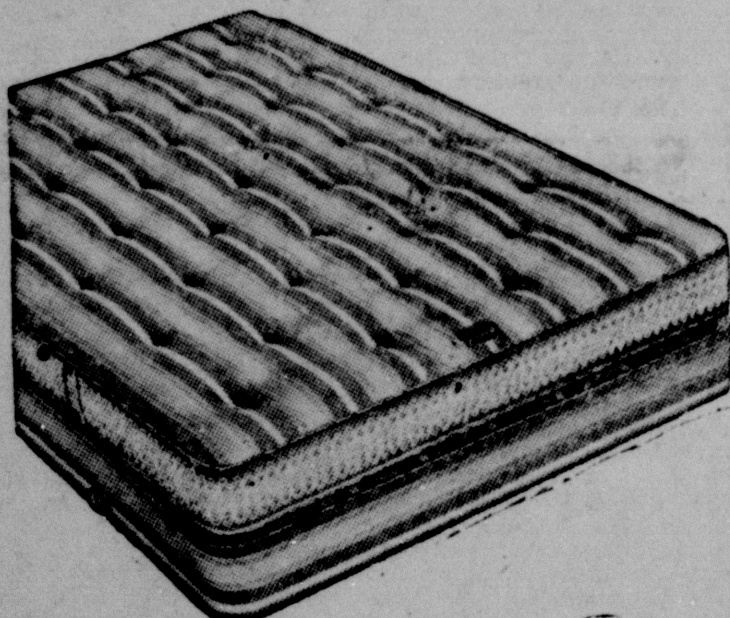
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HIGGINBOTHAMS ANNOUNCES THEIR EASTER SHOPPING WEEK WITH THESE ILLUSTRATIONS
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TO
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- * Hats
- * Hose
- * Bags

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- * Suits
- * Hats
- * Shirts
- * Slacks
- * Shoes
- * Ties
- * Socks
- * Belts

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Light as a breeze and tailored to fit. These Sport Outfits for Spring and Summer wear is what every young man is asking for.

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- * Sharkskin

BROWN OR BLUE
GREEN OR TAN

**\$3.95
TO
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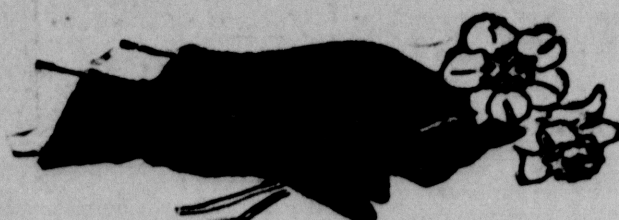
New Spring Ties



Colorful Ties in non-wrinkle silk or wool.

50c to \$1.00

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New assortment of charming Gloves that will put the final touch on your Easter outfit.

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- * Drop In Today

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It has been unofficially announced that a Defense Bond Drive and Defense Savings Stamp Drive will be launched all over America in May, a drive similar to the one in World War No. 1 when Liberty Bonds and War Savings Stamps were sold.

Most men who enter the Army either as selectees or by joining the Regular Army are doing so at a financial sacrifice. Of course, all are not making the sacrifice that the Manager of the City of Dallas did last week when he was drafted from his \$10,000 job to accept a \$3,000 as a Lieutenant at Camp Bowie.

However, any able bodied man should be able to make more than the initial wage of \$21 now paid to the private selectees. If those in the Army are serving not only at a financial sacrifice but at a sacrifice of the pleasure of being at home with their friends and relatives, surely we who stay at home should be willing to buy bonds or stamps when called upon to do so.

With the return of warm weather, yard work seemed to get underway at nearly every home in Comanche the latter part of last week. Many put out new shrubs, others trimmed their old ones, many planted flowers, and some were observed setting out grass.

With but a small investment backed by plenty of hard work most any home in Comanche can enhance its appearance at least 50% this spring and summer by having a pretty yard.

"It is becoming more and more apparent that Mussolini can make his soldiers do anything they want to do," says The Vernon Record.

Bible Thought: "Fear God and keep His commandments; for that is the whole duty of man. For God shall bring every work into judgment, with every secret thing, whether it be good or whether it be evil."—Eccl. 12:13-14.

A page advertisement in The Comanche Chief costs \$35.00, but this seems small in comparison to that charged by some of the large publications such as the New York Daily News where the price is \$2400. In the Saturday Evening Post a page in black ink costs \$8000, but if you want to print your message in red the cost is \$15,000. "Life" charges \$5700 for a page on the inside, but if you want a page on the back covers in colors you will have to send a check for \$10,545.

Despite the high cost of advertising in some of the national publications, the cost of operation of some of them are even greater. Most of us can recall publications of wide circulation which have been forced either to go out of business or consolidate with some other periodical. For example, "The Youth Companion", "The Review of Reviews", "The Literary Digest" and here in our own state The Semi-Weekly Farm News of Dallas.

The Texas Constitution that was adopted during the carpet bagger days following the close of the Civil War had a provision that made it unlawful to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors in any county seat town.

That was the reason that many of the church colleges founded in that era were established in villages and even in the rural districts. It is said that Joseph Clark was offered a large sum of money for those days to establish his Add-Ran College at Granbury.

Clark, a minister, believed that whiskey and colleges would not mix, therefore he turned down the liberal offer of Granbury and founded his college at Thorp Springs without a cent donation. He named the college after his two sons. Its name was changed to Texas Christian University when moved to Waco. The institution was moved to Fort Worth

And then!



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when the Waco buildings burned in 1910.

A recent Public Opinion Poll survey shows that the people of the U.S.A. are still opposed in the ratio of 8 to 2 of America entering the World War; though the vote showed a strong willingness to aid Britain with supplies.

"Criminals are not made in a day," says Ex-Governor Pat Neff, now president of Baylor University. "We are now rearing in our homes and on the farms and streets the youths who will be the law breakers," says Neff.

Although the cost of public education in Texas has increased 300 per cent within the last quarter of a century, the citizens of Texas still spend nearly twice as much for candy as they do for education, says a survey from the University of Texas.

The citizens of Texas spend every year four times as much for tobacco as they do for public education.

Of the sixteen presidents of the United States since the close of the Civil War, thirteen have been Republicans and three Democrats. Of the 16 only four can be classified as reformers, says Dr. Walter P. Webb and three of these were Democrats—Cleveland, Wilson, and Franklin D. Roosevelt.

For years Texas could truthfully boast that it had the largest state capitol building in the world, but when the new capitol building of Louisiana was erected a few years ago at Baton Rouge under the direction of Huey Long, that became the largest; however the capitol at Austin is still the second largest.

Comal River in Landa Park at New Braunfels, Texas, is only three and a half miles long and is the only river in the U.S.A. that starts in a city and runs its entire course within the city limits.

Texas, ranking sixth in population, provided more enlisted soldiers for the Army in the past six months than any other state. Of 196,560 men who enlisted in the Regular Army for three years, 18,752 were Texans. Kentucky, sixteenth in population, held fifth place.

Charles Clark of Austin is one man whose hasty marriage will never be his ruin. Clark, who is now 93, was married recently to a 74-year-old woman, one to whom he had been engaged a year. A bachelor all his life until he decided "martial bliss had its good points," Clark says. "Most young folks marry in such a hurry they even forget what the preach-

er said while performing the ceremony." Asked by close friends after his wedding just what the officiating minister did say, Clark admitted he "was too nervous to recall."

Says Boyce House—"The stenographer we require," ran the ad, "must be fast, absolutely accurate, and must have human intelligence. If you are not a crackjack, don't bother us." One of the answers wrote that she noted their requirements, and went on:

"Your advertisement appeals to me strongly—stronger than prepared mustard—as I have searched in Europe, Alrope and Hoboken in quest of someone who could use my talents to advantage. When it comes to this chinmusic proposition, I have never found a man, woman or dictaphone who could get to first base with me, either fancy or catch-as-catch-can. I write shorthand so fast that I have a specially prepared pencil with a platinum point and a water-cooling attachment, notepad made of asbestos, ruled with sulphuric acid and stitched with catgut. I run with my cut-out open at all speeds, and am in fact guaranteed, double hydraulic welded, drop-forged lightning on a perfect 36 frame, ground to one thousandth of an inch.

If you would avail yourself of the opportunity of a lifetime, wire me, but unless you are fully prepared to pay the tariff for such service, but don't bother me as I am so nervous I can't stand still long enough to have my dresses fitted."

Some people seem to find fault with everything that is done if they are not a part of the movement. All of us can recall some person who is always finding fault with everything and is always making fun of, or kicking about, the efforts of those who try to put over a new project. However, a "Kicker" is not without his reward as is pointed out in the following:

I hate to be a kicker.
I always long for peace,
But the wheel that does the squeaking is the one that gets the grease.
It's nice to be a peaceful soul,
and not too hard to please,
But the dog that's always scratching is the one that has the fleas.
"I hate to be a kicker" means nothing in a show,
For the kickers in the chorus are the ones that get the dough.
The art of soft-soap spreading is a thing that palls and stales,
But the guy who wields the hammer is the guy who drives the nails.
Let us not put any notions that are harmful in your head,
But the baby that keeps yelling is the baby that gets fed.

The real difference between men is energy. A strong will, a settled purpose, and invincible determination, can accomplish almost anything; and in this lies the distinction between great men and little men.—Thomas Fuller.

Roy Eaton of Austin who holds some kind of a state office with the Lions Club of Texas and also is a columnist for the Weatherford Democrat recently released two essays, one on "wives" and the other on "husbands"—both of which contain more truth than poetry. They follow:

An essay on wives!
Wives are strange people. A wife is a woman who often becomes a NAG only because her husband acts like a MULE.

A wife is a woman who is always ready to take what is becoming to her.

A wife is a woman who can hurry through a drug store aisle 18 inches wide without brushing against the piled-up tinware and then drive home and knock the doors off a 12-foot garage.

The wife who started to do the driving from the back seat is said to have had a husband who did the cooking from the dining room table.

One reason why it is so hard to understand a wife is because she never wants to make herself plain. When a wife says she is temperamental, it may be more temper than mental.

A wife is a woman who wants to marry a man that other women wanted and then doesn't like it when they continue to want him after he becomes her husband.

A wife is a woman who tells the world how much her husband knows—and then tells him how very little he knows.

A wife is a woman who wants none of the blame if her husband

fails, but wants half of the credit if he succeeds and all of the credit if the home is successful.

A wife is a woman who knows when her husband needs a haircut, but doesn't notice when he gets one.

A wife is a woman who once thought that at least one man was perfect. (That was before she married him).

A wife is a woman who had more than one chance to marry.

A wife is a woman who loves a man more when he comes home tired and discouraged than when he comes home with news of a raise.

A wife is a woman who was once able to make a man think she understood him. A wife is a 100 per cent female.

An essay on husbands!

A husband is a creature that likes to be mothered, but not bothered.

A husband is an irrational creature who is always looking for home atmosphere in a hotel and hotel service around the home.

Husbands are of two classes: those who do their best work today and forget about it; and those who promised to do their best work tomorrow—and forget about it.

One of the main troubles with a husband who is a self-made man, he quit the job a little too soon.

About the time a husband is old enough to know better, you can expect the worse.

A husband is a man who thinks his wife is lucky and doesn't know it.

A husband is a man who is convinced he can read the paper while his wife talks to him and still not miss anything important.

A husband is a man who says, "your son" when he is bad, and

"my son" when he makes a touchdown on the football team. A husband is a man who will wear any necktie his wife picks out.

A husband is a man who says brightly, "Honey, why don't you get Mrs. Smith to give you her recipe for rolls?" But would be highly insulted if his wife, "Why don't you get Mr. Smith to tell you how to handle your money?"

A husband is a man who never grows too old to notice a nice figure.

A husband is indeed a very strange animal.

Words Mr. Webster defined differently:

Successful Marriages: Where the wife is the boss and doesn't know it.

Spring: A time when the young man's fancy lightly turns to what the girl has been thinking about all winter.

Gentleman: A man you don't know very well.

In the Confederate Home at Austin there are only 11 Confederate veterans in a plant built to house 500. The oldest man will be 100 years old in August and the youngest has already reached 92. He is R. L. Burks who lived in the Blanket community for 45

years and is an uncle of Billie Burks.

Leo Hoffman and his debating partner from The University of Texas carried off first honors in the Western Debating Tournament held at the University of Kansas last week in which ten of the leading universities took part. Young Hoffman and his colleague did not lose a debate in the round robin. Hoffman, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hoffman, got his initial training as a debater in Comanche High School under the direction of Miss Minnie Cunningham.

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FOR SALE. Used kitchen cabinet in excellent condition.—See Lillian Durham at Higginbotham's. (1tc)

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Court House News

Marriages Recorded.
J. T. Couch to Miss Cora Belle
Duval, Gustine, were married on
April 1 by Rev. Gordon Barrett.
James Arthur Whitworth and
Miss Stella Joyce Sanford, Com-
anche, were married March 28
by Rev. Gordon Barrett.

Nolan Rogers and Mrs. Nettie
Lou Rogers, Comanche, were mar-
ried March 26 by Minister R. C.
Ledbetter.

Casey Brinson and Miss Avis
Pittman, Comanche, Rt. 1, were
married March 15 by Rev. W. L.
Skaggs, Gorman, Rt. 1.

Marriage Licenses.
J. T. Couch and Cora Belle
Duval.
James Arthur Whitworth and
Miss Stella Joyce Sanford.
Nolan Rogers and Mrs. Nettie
Rogers.

Eugene Aubrey Shannon and
Ida Margaret Wissman.
Murdell Shupp and Miss Sylvia
Alberta Morphew.
Murdell Shupp and Miss Sylvia
Alberta Morphew, De Leon, Rt. 5.

Births.
To Mr. and Mrs. Earl R. Cara-
way, Comanche, Rt. 2, Feb. 26,
1941, a daughter, Florence Arment-
ta.

To Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Pittman,
Comanche, Feb. 13, 1941, a daugh-
ter, Carolyn Sue.

Deaths Recorded.
D. L. Gore and wife to W. D.
Godfrey, 134.4 acres out of the
Franklin Childers Survey. Consi-
deration \$4,000.00.

R. A. McDonald to L. C. Mc-
Kinney, 160 acres out of the I. A.
Neel Patton, 92.5 acres of the
James Farmer Survey. Considera-
tion \$5,000.00.

Maud Lane to D. L. Gore, lot
out of Block No. 18 in City of
Comanche. Consideration \$1100.
Mrs. Eugene Moore to Nivian
Warren, 1 acre in lot of Block 2
in town of De Leon. Considera-
tion \$75.

Mrs. Ada Miller had her house-
hold goods moved out of storage
this week by Burks Transfer and
Storage Company into the Mrs.
E. McGinty residence on East
Main Street North. Burks has
ample storage room in his ware-
house. Telephone him if you have
anything to store. (adv)

PRE-EASTER SPECIALS!

ALL PERMANENTS REDUCED

\$7.50 Permanent	\$5.00
\$5.00 Permanent	\$3.50
\$3.50 Permanent	\$2.50
\$2.50 Permanent	\$1.50

We still offer you our
\$1.00 Guaranteed Perman-
ent Waves. Bring a friend
and get two \$5.00 Waves
for the Price of One. One
Oil Shampoo and Set given
free with each permanent
wave costing \$3.00 or more.

Plain Shampoo and Set 35c.
Oil Shampoo and Set 50c.
Oil Shampoo and Noxidini
Tonic 65c.

Margaret Cunningham
Broadstreet

—at—
Edmondson's Beauty
Parlor

MORE ABOUT REA TO BUILD LINES (Continued From First Page)

sumers with current purchased
at wholesale rates from the Texas
Electric Service Co., The Texas
Power & Light Co., and The
Texas-New Mexico Utilities Com-
pany. The new wholesale rate
received from the transmission
cooperative lines will enable the
13 cooperatives to make a saving
of approximately \$62,000 a year in
wholesale power bills.

Officers and directors of the
transmission cooperative are: E.
D. H. Farrow, Itasca, President;
T. E. Craddock, Seymour, Sec-
retary; J. H. Flood of Muenster,
Vice-President; A. C. Thomas, Com-
anche; G. A. Tunnell, Stephen-
ville; Osie Caudie, Denton; Ray-
mond Perdue, Mart; T. W. Bailey,
Cleburne; Raymond Hampel, Mc-
Gregor; R. B. Tenney, Decatur,
and H. M. Skidmore, Azle.

H. B. Gieb and Company of
Dallas have been retained as en-
gineers for the system. It was
announced that a co-ordinator
will be employed and acquisition
of right-of-way will be started
at once.

C. O. Falkenwald of Washing-
ton, Chief of the Application and
Loan Division of the REA, at a
mass meeting of directors of the
13 rural distributions system and
directors of the transmission co-
operative, held in Fort Worth last
week, estimated that within 5
years the new transmission sys-
tem will be serving 30,000 farm
homes in 36 counties with Pos-
sum Kingdom power.

W. S. Price, President of the
local cooperative, Mrs. Geo. Black,
Secretary, E. E. Blackwell, Vice-
President, and G. F. Carraway
attended the meeting.

This new transmission lines
will make possible a new lower
rate for the members of the Co-
manche County Electric Coop.,
thus enabling them to make pro-
fitable uses of cheap electricity.

The construction committee of
the Brazos Cooperative, of which
Mr. Thomas is a member will
meet in Fort Worth, Friday, April
4, to set dates and make arrange-
ments for a celebration to be held
in connection with setting the first
pole of the transmission lines.

This Transmission Cooperative
will be the first system of public
distribution of publicly-produced
electric power in Texas.

Mortgage blanks at The Chief.

Beattie School Honor Roll Given

The honor roll for the Beattie
Public School has been released
by Superintendent J. E. Light-
foot as follows:

- First Grade—
Glenn Auvenshine
Mae Belle Kea
Bernice Mull
- Second Grade—
Joyce Park
Ardis Fisher
Aleene Jones
Eula Lee Grimes
- Third Grade—
William Edward Anderson
Jesse Jo Wallace
Buel Gene Carter
- Fourth Grade—
LaVoyce Jeter
- Fifth Grade—
J. W. Wright
Nelda Nabors
- Sixth Grade—
Bernice Wallace
Nela Williams
- Seventh Grade—
Larry Carter
Gaylon Solomon
- Eighth Grade—
Jo Dean Halbrooks
- Tenth Grade—
La Delle Butler
- Eleventh Grade—
Bessie Byrl Halbrooks
Zanette Stephenson

MRS. JACK CREEK'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED

The sixtieth birthday of Mrs.
Jack Creek was celebrated with a
dinner, spread at an inviting site
at Lake Eanes near Comanche on
March 16th.

Those present were: Mr. and
Mrs. Jack Creek of Mullin, Mr.
and Mrs. Elmer Creek and fam-
ily of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Bill
Creek and family of Brownwood,
Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Creek and
family of Lometa, Mr. and Mrs.
J. Hicks and family of Comanche,
Mr. and Mrs. Ted Vance of Lam
Paso, Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Hooten
and family of Goldthwaite, Mr.
and Mrs. J. R. Creek of Mullin,
Mr. and Mrs. Leon Euffer and
family of Brownwood. All the
children, with the exception of
Mrs. Falt Tenney of near Coman-
che, were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Autie Bassett and
son, Decoye of Hazel Dell visit-
ed relatives and friends here Tues-
day.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY

I take this method of expressing my appreciation for the
fine vote given me for City Marshal in Tuesday's Election.
I assure you that I will endeavor to make you a City official
that is worthy of the confidence you have placed in me.

Sincerely,

TOM FAGAN

Pre-Easter . . . SALE

ALL OUR EARLY SPRING DRESSES ARE
ON SALE FOR THE FIRST TIME.

NAVY AND BLACK SHEER DRESSES

WITH WHITE LACE TRIM
COLLARS AND CUFFS

\$7.95 - \$5.98

PRINT, SOLID DARK AND
PASTEL COLORS

\$4.95 - \$2.98

Spring Toppers

SOLID—TWEEDS AND PLAIDS

\$5.95 - \$3.98 - \$7.95 - \$5.98

Spring Hats in

STRAWS AND FELTS

\$1.95 - \$1.48 - \$1.50 - 98¢

REESE-PALMER

THE STYLE CENTER FOR MOTHERS AND DAUGHTERS

It's Another Girl In The Family Of Coach Pat Cagle

A famous Brownwood tradition
gained new strength Monday when
Coach Pat Cagle of Brownwood
High School heard the announce-
ment, "It's a girl," at Medical
Arts Hospital.

A seven-pound daughter was
born to Mr. and Mrs. Cagle at
2:35 o'clock Monday morning,
March 21.

The unnamed newcome is the
second child—both girls—in the
Cagle family. Kyle James, the
other daughter, was born about
three and one-half years ago.

As most Brownwood fans know,
only girls have been born in the
families of head football coaches
here for years and years.

Mrs. Cagle and baby are get-
ting along nicely.—Brownwood
Bulletin.

Cagle coached at Comanche
High for several years preceding
1935 and Mrs. Cagle taught at
the West Ward.

gelo visited his parents, Mr. and
Mrs. A. E. Perdue over the week-
end.

Chief Want Ads Get Desired Results

FOR HEALTHY, STURDY CHICKS

FEED

RED CHAIN CHICK STARTER

To insure the best results for your flock, take no
chances. Start your chickens off right by using
RED CHAIN CHICK STARTER.

Brightman & Son

FEEDS

GRINDING

PIGGLY WIGGLY



Wilson's Pure
LARD 8 Lbs. **63¢**

THIS IS NOT THE CHEAP BRAND OF LARD

VEGETABLES

TURNIP & TOPS 3 For 10¢

MUSTARD GREENS 3 For 10¢

SPINACH 3 Lbs. 10¢

LETTUCE 3 Hds. 10¢

Green CABBAGE Lb. 2¢

South Texas
GREEN Beans Lb. **5¢**

WE BOUGHT A BARGAIN ON GREEN BEANS

EASTER EGGS Lb. ?
BOUGHT 1000 Lbs.
SPECIAL PRICES TO CHURCHES AND SCHOOLS

CALIFORNIA
Lemons Doz. **7¢**
SPRING-TIME IS LEMONADE TIME

Wilson's Sliced BACON Lb. 20¢

CHOICE FED BABY BEEF
Seven STEAK Lb. **20¢**

PORK LIVER Lb. 15¢

Bought 100 **DRESSED FRYERS** For Our Market

Be in Step with the EASTER PARADE

Will your clothes pay you the compliments you deserve? Will your ensemble gaily sing of Spring... stop conversation when you appear with that "just-right," smooth-look that's symbolic of all that's new in the Fashion World? EMPHATICALLY YES, MADAME—if you've joined the throngs of shoppers who have BOUGHT THEIR CLOTHES AT HOFFMAN'S!!! So we say—BE IN STEP WITH THE EASTER PARADE! There are only 8 More Shopping Days 'Til Easter—make the most of them and your budget allowance too by selecting your new Spring apparel at HOFFMAN'S—now—today!!! THE EASTER PARADE BEGINS AT HOFFMAN'S!!!



ROMANTIC

Fashion has gone completely sentimental this Spring when it comes to Hats. And to look bewitchingly young and lovely, wear one of our charming new numbers that's just made for the Head At The Head Of The Easter Parade. So aptly correct and wearable—so many to choose from—so appropriate and becoming—you'll capture glances of admiration wherever you go. Buy them today at the low Hoffman prices you like to pay.

98c - \$1.45 - \$1.95
\$2.95

Hand in Hand with the New Spring Hats go these Beautiful Gloves.

* New Pastels *
* New Designs *
59c and \$1.00



MADAME'S EASTER HAND BAG
will be delightfully resplendent with charm and beauty... In Pastels for costuming—in Black Pastels—and this rage for Beige has been well taken care of also at Hoffman's. Buy them today in a dozen different styles to match your various color combinations. \$1.00
Buy them, each, for only



WHEN YOU WEAR VANETTE HOSIERY

And you'll get twice the wear you get from ordinary brands. For quality that means longer wear and greater savings—for beauty that means sheer flattery and superb appearance—wear...

Vanette HOSIERY

(In 2-Thread and 3-Thread)
Spring's most exquisite 79c & \$1.00
shades. Priced at
Nylon's and Queen's Lace \$1.35 pr.



Hoffman's SHOES

For a breezy walk and a light-as-air feeling—for comfort that lays a carpet of clover at your feet—for budgeted beauty and brilliance of Easter designing—just come in and try on a pair of HOFFMAN'S SHOES. . . . JUST ARRIVED FOR YOUR SPRING SMARTNESS—a large new variety of patterns that will lead the steps in THE EASTER PARADE.—They're justly famous—these "CORRECT STYLES" you'll find in our busy Shoe Department at the LOW HOFFMAN PRICES YOU LIKE TO PAY—

Tips for a Gay Easter

Hoffman's SHOES

\$1.95
\$2.95

DRESSES THAT BLOOM IN THE SPRING!!



A GARDEN VARIETY OF NEW SPRING DRESSES REFLECTING ALL THE ELEGANCE OF EASTER!

Flowering and blossoming in all of Spring's gay new colors—just waiting to make adorable some lovely lady on Easter Morn!! A score of the latest styles on the markets—and we have them all.

- * Alpaca *
- * Crepes *
- * Silks *
- * Shirt-Waists *
- * Tailored *
- * Frills *

* Featuring Pastels and Navies with White Collars *

Walking away with honors at the head of the Easter Parade at the low Hoffman prices you like to pay.

\$3.95 - \$4.95
\$5.95

29 Years Ago

From The Comanche Chief,

March 23, 1912.

Dr. J. F. McCarty announces the marriage of his daughter, Flora, to Frank Best Straub March 20, 1912 at Hotel Westbrook, Fort Worth.

Barry Bonner, 23 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bonner, A Parent-Teachers Association has been organized here with Mrs. Charles Ory as president and Miss Ola Cunningham as secretary.

Singing is now held every Sunday afternoon at the courthouse. Two new leaders will be in charge Sunday afternoon, Prof. J. O. Shelton who has returned to Comanche after a long absence, and Prof. Pate Fagan, two of the best singers in this section.

800 visitors attended the Lamkin Fat Stock Show Saturday including nearly all the candidates. A fine lot of stock was exhibited at the little city on the Leon.

Rev. B. F. Ainsup will begin a revival at the Sidney Methodist Church Sunday assisted by Rev. T. J. Lasseter.

Miss Rita Harris left this week for New York where she will visit her sister, Mary. She was accompanied as far as Fort Worth by her father, E. W. Harris.

Governor Colquitt announces that he will open his campaign somewhere in North Texas about the middle of April.

The total enrollment for the Comanche schools was 735 within the city limits, but the enrollment for the month of February was 942, a gain of 207 and this does not include the enrollment of those over and under age and the total enrollment according to Superintendent R. F. Holloway is at least 1000.

James H. Robertson is here from Fluvana to visit his father-in-law, Uncle George Jaynes. It was his first visit here since 1898. He moved to Comanche in 1894.

Hon. L. H. Brightman died at his home in San Angelo last Saturday. Mr. Brightman once practiced law in Comanche, being the partner of his cousin, L. B. Russell. He moved to San Angelo several years ago where he served 4 years as district attorney. Judge Brightman was a brother of L. R. and O. O. Brightman, Mrs. R. B. Newman and Mrs. H. A. Carmichael of Comanche.

L. B. PORTER NAMED ACTING GOLDTHWAITE POSTMASTER
L. B. Porter, a former County Clerk of Mills County for fourteen years, has been appointed acting postmaster at Goldthwaite to serve during the absence of postmaster M. Y. Stokes who has been granted a military leave of absence.

O. H. Shaw will fill Mr. Porter's place as secretary of the Mills County Selective Board.

Delta Kappa Gamma Chapter Organized

On Saturday, March 29, in Stephenville after a luncheon hour, the Gamma Zeta chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma was organized with the following officers being elected: President, Mrs. Virgil Chaffin, Comanche; First Vice-President, Miss Opal McCleskey, Dublin; Second Vice-President, Miss Elan Fause, Priddy; Recording Secretary, Miss Jewell Simkins, Comanche; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Nora White, Huckabee; Parliamentarian, Miss Clay, Dublin; Treasurer, Miss Ollie Sloan, Comanche.

Delta Kappa Gamma is a national fraternity for women teachers with membership from 40 states. Almost all counties in Texas have been organized. Four counties, Hood, Mills, Comanche, and Erath, comprise the Gamma Zeta chapter. Membership may be made up of one-tenth of the women teachers of each county.

Miss Eula Carter, State Executive Secretary from Fort Worth, conducted the initiation services, aided by Miss Bernita Minkwitz, National Treasurer, and Miss Phyllis Ellis, representative of the Dallas chapter.

Miss Jewell Werner, Mrs. Dale Howard, Miss Ruth Odom, and Miss Jewell Simkins were teachers from Comanche who were initiated Saturday. Mrs. Chaffin transferred from Lambda Chapter in Bell County. Miss Ollie Sloan, from the Denton chapter, and Mrs. Nichols of Proctor is also a member.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. St. Clair have just returned from a several days visit in Abilene where they helped celebrate the 16th birthday of their grandson, C. G. Whitten.

Fifty Workers On Highway No. 16 Near Comanche

John C. Stille, WPA District Director of Operations, announces the opening of a project covering improvements to Highway No. 16 from Comanche South for a distance of 5.037 miles.

This WPA project calls for an expenditure of approximately \$88,617.00 with the Federal Government to furnish \$27,661.00 and the Texas State Highway Department, official co-sponsor, to furnish \$60,956.00. An average of 50 workers will be employed on this project with an average monthly payroll of \$2,000, for approximately ten months.

Work to be done on this project includes bituminous surfacing, construction of two masonry bridges totaling 143 lineal feet, construction of 19 masonry culverts totaling 849 lineal feet, construction of 1,967 lineal feet of road ditch, laying 44 lineal feet of road drainage pipe, construction of 260 ditch checks, construction of 122 lineal feet of curb and gutter, and construction of 240 lineal feet of guardrails and guardwalls.

SON BORN TO FERGUSONS

AT HAMILTON HOSPITAL
Mr. and Mrs. Don Ferguson announce the arrival of a darling baby son, Jerry Don, born at the Drs. Cleveland and Koonen Hospital-Clinic in Hamilton on Friday, March 21.

The fair young mother is the former Miss Glinth Harris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Harris, of Comanche, and the proud-happy father is a son of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Ferguson, also of Comanche. He is known as one of the most accommodating salesmen at the local Higginbotham Lumber Co. yards.—Hamilton County

Smart Women Everywhere Say:

I've proved to myself THE LAUNDRY CAN DO IT BETTER

HELPY-SELFY OR LAUNDRY SERVICE
FIVE YEARS SERVICE TO THE
CITIZENS OF COMANCHE
COLEMAN'S LAUNDRY
TELEPHONE 274—STEAM HEAT

All GAS Kitchen



FIRST

in beauty
convenience
efficiency
economy

ENJOY ONE TOO!

COOKING and REFRIGERATION . . . let gas do the two most important jobs in your kitchen. GAS is first choice of Comanche housewives because it does a much better job and is more economical than any other fuel. The new Gas Ranges are a revelation in efficiency and beauty. In the New Electrolux Gas Refrigerator there's no motor to go wrong . . . the vital work is done by a tiny flame that can't get out of order. With one of our new automatic water heaters there's always an abundance of hot water at the turn of your faucet . . . in fact, an ALL-GAS Kitchen is an ALL-EFFICIENT Kitchen.

COME IN TODAY AND FIND OUT HOW EASILY YOU MAY HAVE A KITCHEN OF WHICH TO BE PROUD.

Southwest Natural Gas Company

COMANCHE, TEXAS

Gustine Methodist Women Hold Meet

By Flora B. Couch.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Gustine Methodist Church held all regular meetings for the month of March. The social, the third Monday afternoon was held in the home of Mrs. Woolley. The cold and sleet did not prevent us having a nice crowd. Mrs. Hitt and Mrs. Green took their cars and went after all who did not have a car. The rooms were cozy and warm and we forgot the weather for about three hours. Mrs. Hitt held the devotional. Mrs. Clements gave a fine piece on Mary and Martha entertaining Jesus. Several pieces were given pertaining to St. Pat-

rick's Day. Then came games and contests lead by Mrs. Green. We had two guests from Lamkin, Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Brandt who were appreciated very much. After the exchange of gifts and drawing of names for next social we were served a most delicious refreshment plate of pimento cheese sandwiches, potato chips, white cake and punch. Everyone left proclaiming Mrs. Woolley an ideal hostess and looking forward to the time when it would again be her turn to entertain. We have made and sold three quilts, quilted five for Mrs. Howell, and have some more sold when we get them made. Spiritual Life meets each Thursday morning. The women, with the help of the whole church are working to make their vision of an annex to the church come

COMANCHE LADIES VISIT DALLAS FLOWER SHOW

Mrs. William Chilton, Mrs. Park Huntington, Mrs. Bob Stanton, Mrs. K. L. Ory, Mrs. Jack Moore, all members of the Comanche Garden Club, were among the Comanche visitors at the Dallas Flower Show this week.

A later report of those attending the show included these additional names: Mesdames Howard Kilpatrick, John Bell Chilton, W. H. Carpenter, A. P. Cox, Tom Holmsley, George W. Tate, Elmo Montgomery, Vasco Lee, Effie Mrs. Rex Kitchen of Austin who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Reeves; and Misses Dudley Hicks and Inez Sullivan.

true. We thank all who have lent a helping hand. Our work for April begins next Monday.

Astonished At The Low Farm Income

By Y. W. Holmes

Farmers frequently talk to me about their low incomes. Since this county mostly depends upon farmers, their welfare is important. I have recently assisted a good many people in making out their income tax reports, including several farmers. I was astonished at the low net income they make. I think only one family showed as much as \$50 per month, most of them much less, and some a net loss. Yet they had taken in \$2000 and more for the year.

I was struck with the large amounts of cash they were paying in operating expenses. In my opinion, though I am not a farmer, they are paying out too much cash for expenses; and that such is responsible for much of their low net incomes.

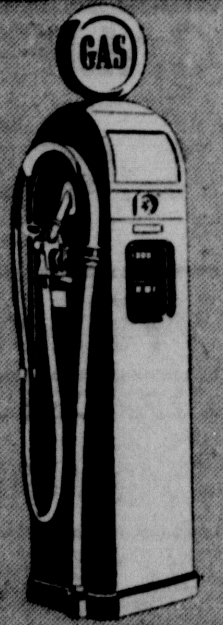
Though few had to pay an income tax; yet I think their having to make out a rigidly tested report has been of much benefit in showing them the condition of their affairs, and something of the cause. Almost always he would leave saying he intended to keep records hereafter, and know where he stands.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

10:00 a.m. Bible Classes.
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship.
Sermon, "The Life Emphasis of Paul."
7:30 p.m. Evening Sermon, "Kindness."
6:30 p.m. Young People's Meeting.

Only as we follow Christ and catch the radiance of His glory can we have that "light of life," and only as this radiance fills our lives can it flow out to others. He has told us to let our lights shine, but we are only reflectors, and not lights in ourselves, and we must stay in the sunlight of His love so that we may be able to reflect that light into the dark places where Christ is not known and loved.—"Day by Day."
"A cordial welcome to all."
—E. M. Shepard, Minister.

YOU WON'T USE MANY OF THESE WHEN YOU BUY A LUXURIOUS NEW PONTIAC 'TORPEDO'



Despite the fact that these sensational new cars are bigger, roomier, and more powerful—they still retain gas and oil economy at last year's record high!

DUDLEY BROS.

COMANCHE—GAIL—TOM—ELTOS—PHONE 153

Cross Roads Store

Robert Roe and daughters spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Squab Weaver at Sipe Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Chambers left Saturday for their new home in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Donaldson have moved into the house where Jesse Chambers lived.

Miss Virginia May of Saranac Lake, N. Y., Mrs. Ruby Rambo of Fort Worth, Arthur May of Fort Bliss were Cross Roads visitors Wednesday and visited with their old friend, Mrs. J. A. Moore, whom they had not seen for 15 years.

Miss Margaret Eanes visited her sister, Mrs. Garland Johnson in Dallas, Sunday.

Arthur May, who has been here visiting his parents, has returned to Fort Bliss.

After a month's visit with relatives, Miss Virginia May has returned to her home in New York.

Oliver Moore of Doole spent Monday night with his mother, Mrs. A. O. Moore.

After a visit here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. May, Mrs. Ruby Rambo of Fort Worth and Mrs. Milton Patterson of Santa Anna have returned to their homes.

**MRS. LUCILLE SMOOT
NOW SECRETARY FOR
ALLCORN INSURANCE CO.**

Mrs. Lucille Stewart Smoot has accepted a position as secretary here for the J. B. Allcorn Insurance Company, succeeding Miss Mary E. Jones, resigned.

Mrs. Smoot recently returned to Comanche from Florence where she has been operating a picture show.

**Comanche Twins
Steal Spotlight
From Marionettes**

Ann and Nan Massingill, two-year-old twins from Comanche, momentarily stole the spotlight from the group of little marionettes at Monnig's in Fort Worth Tuesday, March 25.

Wearing baby harness and leading straps, they climbed upon the platform where the life-like marionettes were parading spring fashions for tots.

Miss Evelyn Wood, creator of the marionettes who puts on the shows, gathered up the leading straps with her marionette strings, and the three—Grethen (a marionette), Ann and Nan did a fancy bit of modeling.

Many in the audience thought the twins were part of the show. They're daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Massingill of Comanche.—Fort Worth Press.

**Baptist Training
Union Meets Here
Sunday Afternoon**

The Comanche County Baptist Training Union will meet at the First Baptist Church in Comanche Sunday afternoon, April 6 at 2:30 o'clock.

Every church is urged to have a group represented for an important meeting at that time according to E. N. Strother, director.

"It's the little things in life that tell," said Betsy as she kicked her little brother out from under the sofa.

Proctor

Miss Bessie Jenkins of Amarillo is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Pate Rackley here this week.

Mrs. Ulmer Rackley and daughters of Rowena spent the weekend here with relatives.

Raymond E. Carleton, formerly of Proctor, has entered training in the Army Air Corps at Cuero, Texas.

John W. Reynolds recently attended the funeral of C. C. Elegay at Putnam.

Mrs. Perry Moring has been visiting in Stephenville with her mother, Mrs. Heath, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Coye of Lufkin are visiting in the Davidson home.

Perry Moring spent the weekend in Fort Worth and Dallas.

B. W. Clements and Amon Hughes made a business trip to Fort Worth Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Faulks and Mrs. Elmer Woolsey of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Holden last week.

Miss Lillie Walker of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Walker last week.

Mrs. Bell Norton is visiting Mrs. Sam Steel in Fort Worth.

Mr. Hodge of Chicago visited Mrs. Clara Hodge last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cline were in Fort Worth Sunday. Their daughter, Annie Lee, who has been ill, returned home with them for a few days visit.

Harmony

Bill Shoemaker spent part of last week in a Brownwood hospital, returning home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Weems announce the birth of a son, March 20th.

Mrs. J. W. Phillips and Mrs. R. W. Pate of Comanche spent Wednesday with Mrs. O. B. Phillips.

Mutt Steele of Proctor visited J. K. Wilhelm Friday.

O. B. and Tyson Phillips spent Friday at Brady selecting Angus calves for Tyson's club work.

Vernon Fletcher of Camp Bowie spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fletcher.

**In Memory Of
Mrs. Maudie Hurt**

(By Her Mother)

Mrs. Maudie Davis Hurt was born June 30, 1905 in Coryell County, being 35 years, seventh months, and two days old at the time of her death on February 2, 1941, at her home in Comanche County.

Besides her husband, J. W. Hurt, and five children, she left to mourn her death, her mother, five brothers, two sisters, and one half-brother. She was buried in Taylor's Chapel Cemetery February 3, 1941. Her father, A. T. Davis, preceded her in death May 5, 1932.

In her memory I write these lines:

O here now is our Maudie dear?
Gone home to mansions
bright and fair;
No more to shed the bitter tears;
She's happy in her mansion
there;

Gone home with Jesus
there to dwell;
Gone home her praises
there to swell
No more will she meet us
here below;

Her toil and sacrifices are o'er
And by the giver's gentle flow
She stands upon the golden shore
Farewell, dear, till we
meet before

The throne of God above
and cast our
Crown at Jesus' feet;
and sing the triumphs
Of His love.

**Brady Amateur Roper
Is Killed When Horse
Fails To Jump Fence**

Carl Henson, 41, Brady implement dealer, was killed instantly Sunday afternoon in the rodeo arena at Brady Park when his horse fell on him, says the Brady Standard. The accident occurred at 5:30 o'clock, before a small group of horsemen and rodeo enthusiasts.

Mr. Henson and companions had been roping calves Sunday afternoon, and after the close of the practice performances, he and Robert Fellers were riding their horses in the rodeo ring when his horse failed to turn sharply at the west end of the arena and attempted to leap the five and a half foot fence. The horse's breast hit the top of the wire, throwing Mr. Henson over, and the animal was said to have balanced on his back on the top of the fence momentarily, then fell over on top of the thrown rider. It was believed that part of the saddle struck Mr. Henson on the back of the head, his skull being crushed.

Companions called an ambulance, but Mr. Henson was pronounced dead by physicians upon arrival at Brady Hospital.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank our good neighbors and friends for being so nice to me while I was in bed so long. Their visits and comforting words help me so much to bear my troubles. I want to thank everyone who brought me all kinds of good eats and everything they did for us. We also thank Porter Franks for the hospital bed, and Gracie and Mr. Hilliard for the mattress. Am hoping to return such good favors some only. Only God knows how we love everyone that has been so nice to us. God bless you, friends and neighbors.—Mrs. Louis York. (1tp)

South Copperas

Raymond Melworth and family visited his parents at Hico over the week-end.

Rufe Cagle and Frank Whitlock of Sipe Springs visited Mr. Cagle's farm Friday.

Mrs. Cora Foster and son, Dude,

attended the funeral of Booth Helm at Concord Thursday.

Roy Mitchell and family visited relatives at Coleman Sunday.

Jim Swenson visited in Abilene Saturday. He was accompanied home by his daughter, Miss Jewel, who had been visiting relatives there.

Loyd Morrow and family of Fort

Griffin and Theron Morrow and family of Brownwood visited J. D. Morrow and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Moore and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Orville Moore Sunday.

Robert Roe and daughters of Stag Creek visited friends here Sunday.

Mayor and Mrs. Thos. C. Ferguson of Burnet, Texas, spent Wednesday with his grandmother, Mrs. W. W. Harvey, and mother, Mrs. M. A. Ferguson and other relatives.

Mortgage blanks at The Chief.

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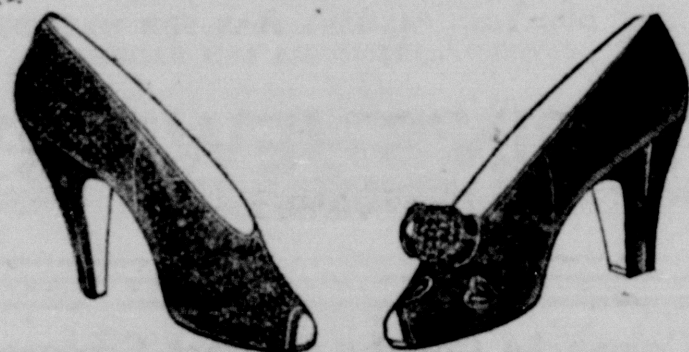
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LADIES' PRINTED Silk Dresses WERE \$3.95 Now \$2.95	MEN'S Dress Shirts 89 - 98c \$1.29	2 POUND Quilt Scraps 29c	Coffee BLISS 19c BRIGHT & EARLY 19c PURE RIO, 3 LBS. 25c
BLACK AND NAVY Sheers WERE \$6.95 Now \$5.95	MEN'S Dress Shoes \$1.89 to \$3.95	TAYLOR Cotton Batts 2 LB. WHITE 49c	Cereals CORN FLAKES 7½c WHEATIES 9c MOTHER'S OATS 23c
LIGHT AND DARK Taffeta Slips \$1.00	MEN'S Khaki Suits \$1.79 SHIRT 89c—PANTS 98c	6 CORD Sewing Thread 5c SPOOLS 8 for 25c	Baking Powder K. C. 25 OZ. 17c CLABBER GIRL 21c DAIRY MAID 21c
LADIES' Satin Slips WERE \$1.00 Now 79c	IDEAL CHAMBRAY Work Shirts Men's 49c Boy's 39c	STANDARD C Wall Canvas YARD 3c	Salt 5c BOX, 2 For 5c 10c SACK 7c 25 LB. SACK 25c
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LIGHT AND DARK Taffeta Half Slips \$1.00	Tennis Shoes MEN'S OR BOY'S 59c	36 INCH Cretonne YARD 10c	Pork & Beans 5c SODA, 10c Size 7c STARCH, 10c Size 8c PALMOLIVE SOAP 5c

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NOTATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
 To the Sheriff or any Constable
 of Comanche County—Greeting:

You are hereby Commanded to
 summon L. M. Parker and George
 Parker, whose residence are un-
 known, if living, and the unknown
 heirs of L. M. Parker and George
 Parker, if the said L. M. Parker
 and George Parker, or either of
 them are deceased, and all per-
 sons, if any, not named in plain-
 tiff's petition, the residence of all
 persons herein mentioned being
 unknown, owners of the herein-
 after described undivided portions
 of land by making publication of
 this Citation once in each week
 for four consecutive weeks pre-
 vious to the return day hereof, in
 some newspaper published in your
 County, if there be a newspaper
 published therein, but if not, then
 in any newspaper published in
 the 52nd Judicial District; but if
 there be no newspaper published
 in said Judicial District, then in a
 newspaper published in the near-
 est District to said 52nd Judicial
 District, to appear at the next
 regular term of the District Court
 of Comanche County, to be held
 at the Court House thereof, in
 Comanche, on the Third Monday
 in April A. D. 1941, the same be-
 ing the 21st day of April A. D.
 1941, then and there to answer a
 petition filed in said Court on the
 4th day of March A. D. 1941, in
 a suit, numbered on the docket
 of said Court as No. 8540, where-
 in T. E. Mc Adoo is Plaintiff, and
 T. M. Mc Adoo, Mrs. Anna Mc-
 Adoo Lewis, joined by husband,
 W. J. Lewis, Mrs. Eva Mc Adoo
 Pence, joined by her husband,
 W. A. Pence, Mrs. Eva Mc Adoo
 Robbins, a widow, Mrs. Dona Mc-
 Adoo Butler, joined by her hus-
 band, Wimby Butler, L. M. Mc-
 Adoo, Doyle Mc Adoo, Mrs. Lillie
 Mc Adoo, a widow, Arthur Hill,
 Mrs. Ida Mc Adoo, a widow, Mrs.
 Auta May Mc Adoo Huddleston,
 joined by her husband, J. W. Hud-
 dleston, Clyde Mc Adoo, Jack
 Mc Adoo, Elsie Parker, Elmore
 Parker, Gopie Parker, R. T. Par-
 ker, L. M. Parker and George
 Parker, are the defendants, the
 nature of said suit being one for
 partition of a certain tract of
 land situated in Comanche Coun-
 ty, Texas, and being the East one
 half of the West one half of
 Section No. 49 in Block No. 2,
 H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey in said
 county and containing 160 acres
 of land, more or less, brought by
 said plaintiff against said defend-
 ants, wherein said parties are al-
 leged to own the following inter-
 ests in said land, to wit: T. E.
 Mc Adoo, T. M. Mc Adoo, Mrs.
 Anna Mc Adoo Lewis, Mrs. Eva
 Mc Adoo Pence and Mrs. Eva
 Mc Adoo Robbins an undivided
 1-8 part each; Mrs. Lillie Mc Adoo,
 a life estate in undivided 1-3 of
 1-2 of 1-8, and subject to said
 life estate Mrs. Dona Mc Adoo
 Butler, L. M. Mc Adoo and Doyle
 Mc Adoo own an undivided
 13-384th, each, Arthur Hill an
 undivided 6-384th, Mrs. Lillie Mc-
 Adoo an undivided 3-384th, and
 subject to life estate owned by
 Mrs. Lillie Mc Adoo in 1-3 of

One Hundred Attend
Club Banquet Here

Approximately one hundred men
 and boys attended the Lions Club
 banquet Tuesday night at the
 high school given for the 4-M
 and FFA boys who exhibited at
 the recent Comanche County Jun-
 ior Livestock Show. The dinner
 was served by the Homemaking
 Class of the local school.

Dean Davis of Tarleton was
 the principal speaker. Sol Hoff-
 man accompanied by Mrs. Ruby
 Rudd at the piano, sang "God
 Bless America." Talks were made
 by visiting vocational agriculture
 leaders and some of their pupils.

A feature of the program was
 a picture showing the club boys
 at work and play under the di-
 rection of their leaders in nineteen
 counties of this section. The
 scenes included some of the local
 boys.

1-8 of 1-2, Arthur Hill owns a life
 estate in 1-3 of 1-4 of 1-8 of 1-2;
 Subject to life estate owned
 Mrs. Ida Mc Adoo in 1-3 of 1-8
 of 1-2 the following named per-
 sons, Mrs. Auta May Mc Adoo
 Huddleston, Clyde Mc Adoo and
 Jack Mc Adoo each own an un-
 divided 1-24th;

Subject to a life estate owned
 L. M. Parker, if living, in 1-3 of
 1-8 of 1-2 of said estate, the fol-
 lowing named persons, George
 Parker, Elsie Parker, Elmore
 Parker, Gopie Parker and R. T.
 Parker own an undivided 1-40th,
 each of said estate;

That plaintiff and defendants
 are the sole owners of said land
 and premises so far as known,
 and the estimated value thereof
 is \$2000.00;

Plaintiff prays the court that
 defendants be cited to appear and
 answer petition, and that plain-
 tiff have judgment for the parti-
 tion and division of said land and
 premises; that commissioners be
 appointed and writ of partition is-
 sue, and for possession of that
 portion that by judgment of the
 court may be ascertained and de-
 clared to be the property of plain-
 tiff, and for such other and fur-
 ther relief, special and general,
 in law and in equity, that plain-
 tiff may be justly entitled to.

Herein Fail Not, and have be-
 fore said Court, at its aforesaid
 next regular term, this writ with
 your return thereon, showing how
 you have executed the same.

Given Under My Hand and the
 Seal of said Court, at office in
 Comanche, Texas this 18th
 day of March, A. D. 1941.
HUGH WHITE, Clerk, District
 Court, Comanche County.
 (35-36-37-38)

Beattie School
Makes Good Record
At County Meet

The following students of the
 Beattie Public School won places
 in the various events of Inter-
 scholastic League work in the
 County Meet held at Comanche
 last week-end:

LaVoyce Jeter, third in sub-
 junior declamation; Jimmy Moore,
 second in sub-junior boys decla-
 mation; Shirley Rumfield, first
 in grammar school junior decla-
 mation, girls; Larry Carter, second
 in grammar school junior decla-
 mation, boys; Joyce Nell Carmack,
 first in high school junior decla-
 mation, girls; Harold Johnson, se-
 cond in high school junior boys
 declamation; Maudine McMillan,
 second in high school senior girls
 declamation; Wilson Armstrong,
 first in high school senior boys
 declamation.

Nelda Nabors, LaVoyce Jeter
 and Bobbie Joyce Ross won second
 in picture memory.

Nelda Nabors and LaVoyce Jet-
 ter, first in fourth and fifth grade
 spelling. Larry Carter and Ber-
 neice Wallace, first in sixth and
 seventh grade spelling.

Ruby Elms and Gaylon Solo-
 man, first in seventh grade arith-
 metic.

Gaylon Solomon, first in sev-
 enth grade ready writing and
 LaDelle Butler, first in high school
 essay writing.

The high school girls' glee club
 won first and thus won the cir-
 culating plaque which has been
 held by Proctor for the past two
 years and would have become per-
 manently theirs this year. The
 grammar school choral club won
 third place.

C. J. Fisher won second in boys'
 extemporaneous speech and Bes-
 sie Byrl Halbrooks won third in
 girls' extemporaneous speech.

Nellie Joyce Mull tied for first
 place in third grade story telling.

Helm Again Heads
Brysonville School

By School Correspondent
 J. C. Helm, Sr., who principal-
 ed the Brysonville School for ap-
 proximately twelve years is again
 at his old post to complete the
 term began by Charles J. Moore
 who is now employed by the Soda
 Springs School.

Mr. Helm resigned his position
 at the close of the school last
 year, retiring from the teaching
 profession after approximately 35
 years of service to the schools of
 Texas. He consented to complete
 the present school term and it
 again seems like "old times" at
 Brysonville.

PROGRAM

Comanche County Workers
 Conference To Meet With
 Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church
 Wednesday, April 9, 1941

Theme: Soul Winning.
 10:00 a.m. Devotional, LeRoy
 Woolsey.
 10:15 The Bible in Soul Win-
 ning, Rev. Roger Smith.
 10:45 The Holy Spirit in Soul
 Winning, Rev. D. D. Tidwell.
 11:15 Sermon, Rev. E. G. Greg-
 ory.
 12:00 Lunch.
 1:30 p.m. Devotional, Rev. Mur-
 ry Kay.
 1:45 Board Meeting.
 2:15 The Church in Soul Win-
 ning, Rev. Sam Drake.
 2:45 The Preacher in Soul Win-
 ning, Rev. R. M. McGinnis.
 3:15 Announcements and ad-
 journ.

—T. N. Carter, Moderator.

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J. C. Helm, Jr.
Resigns Position

J. C. Helm, Jr. has resigned his
 position here as Assistant County
 Superintendent of Schools after
 approximately two years service.
 Mr. Helm was elected to teach
 mathematics and physical educa-
 tion in the Brownwood Public
 School System. Owing to crowded
 living conditions, he will continue
 to reside in Comanche for the
 remainder of the school term.

Because of his familiarity with the
 latest complex school laws, rul-
 ings, budgetary set-ups, transfer
 and census complications, he has
 been requested by County Super-
 intendent Dale Howard to serve
 during the summer rush of school
 business.

During his stay in the County
 Superintendent's office, Mr. Helm
 gained a large number of county-
 wide friends, received valuable
 school experience, and rendered
 capable service to the people.

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MISS JOHNNIE WALLACE
HAS GOOD POSITION
IN WASHINGTON, D. C.

Miss Johnnie Ruth Wallace was in Comanche this week from Austin enroute to Washington, D. C. where she has accepted a good position as stenographer for the War Department.

Miss Wallace, a daughter of E. L. Wallace, was reared in Comanche and was stenographer for the Chamber of Commerce before resigning two years ago to accept a similar position with the State Government at Austin.

Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Knight and family of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sibert and Norma Jo of Brysonville, Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson and family of Energy, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Williford, Jr. of Gustine and Melvin Kirby of Brownwood spent Sunday with Mrs. S. J. Robertson and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Derrin Fuller and Will K. Lightfoot of De Leon, and Miss Dean Robertson of Comanche spent Sunday visiting Longhorn Cavern and Buchanan Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Robertson of Sherman and Mrs. Julian Williams of Dallas spent the weekend in Comanche with their mother, Mrs. Etta Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Kalb, Mrs. Max Heldler, and Mrs. Howard Duncan of Fort Worth spent Sunday in Comanche with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Guthrie.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Kinsey of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. James Franks of Ireland visited Mr. and Mrs. Marcus O'Dell over the weekend.

John Guthrie, Melvin Guthrie, and Miss Fay Guthrie spent Sunday in San Angelo.

Mrs. Elmer Thomas is reported to be seriously ill at her home near Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kilpatrick and Mrs. J. B. Chilton attended the Dallas Flower Show Thursday. While in Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Kilpatrick visited the Dallas wholesale markets.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sanders have visited his brother, M. E. Renfro. Smoot says he is an applicant for a position as fireman at the new Government bomber plant being erected at Lake Worth. Mr. Renfro, formerly in the market and cafe business at Comanche, has been working in a Fort Worth market most of the time since leaving Comanche several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cowen of Baird spent the weekend in Comanche with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Arthur visited relatives in Dallas last week.

Fritz W. Glitsch of Dallas was in Comanche last week visiting relatives and friends. Mr. Glitsch, a citizen here 30 years ago, is now one of Texas' most successful business men and is president of the Fritz W. Glitsch & Sons Company, mechanical engineers, manufacturers of oil tool equipment and pressed steel products, returned home after a visit to Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Harry Melowsky visited the Fort Worth and Dallas markets Wednesday, and made purchases of new Easter merchandise for his store in Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Smith and Zillman Smith of Austin spent the weekend in Comanche, visiting Mrs. R. A. Tupin.

Victor Gore visited in Austin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hamilton and sons, George Jr. and Johnnie, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Anthony.

Quinton Cauley and Billie Joe Welch of Daniel Baker College spent Sunday in Comanche, visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cauley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Thompson who have been living in Pasa Robles, California, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Pate, in Comanche, before moving to New Mexico.

W. O. Robertson of Marlow, Oklahoma, has returned home after visiting friends and relatives in and near Comanche for the past two weeks.

Hollis Isham, who is in the CAA at Fort Worth, spent the weekend in Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Isham and daughter, Rebecca, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Isham visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Isham in Fort Worth over the weekend.

Tommie Coleman of San Angelo spent Sunday in Comanche with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Coleman.

Eldred Jones, student at Texas A&M, spent the weekend in Comanche with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hardie Jones.

W. H. Thate made a business trip to Fort Worth Monday.

Don Gray and Jack Magness were among the Comanche visitors at the Mineral Wells Rodeo Sunday.

Albert Collins, Minnie Lee Collins, and Emmett Burks of Stephenville spent Sunday in Comanche with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Yantis.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Smoot visited his brother, W. D. Smoot at Oklahoma City last week.

Mrs. Marvin Britte of Vernon, Mrs. Sanlet Hamlett of Fort Worth, and Jim Hamlett of Tennessee spent Monday in Comanche, visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Starr.

Mrs. Tilden Collar left this week for her home in New York City after a visit of several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Charles Clarke. Mrs. Clarke left with Mrs. Collar to visit her son.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Barret of Fort Worth spent the weekend in Comanche with their parents, J. M. Marshall, who is recovering from a brain concussion, is now out of the Stephenville Hospital, where he was confined for more than two weeks, and is expected to resume his teaching duties at Stephenville High School Monday.

Ted Durham of The University of Texas spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Durham.

F. D. Coker has accepted a position as a clerk with the A&P Store here.

Dale Waldrop of Fort Worth visited in Comanche over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Coker visited in Hamilton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Hoffman of Hico and Mr. and Mrs. M. Hoffman of Dublin spent Sunday in Comanche with Mr. and Mrs. Sol Hoffman and son, Gary.

Tom Cox, Jr. has been working at the Higginbotham Lumber Yard at Brady this week.

W. D. (Smoot) Renfro of Fort Worth was in Comanche last week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williford have returned home after spending two weeks at Randolph Field with their son, Lt. James H. Williford.

L. J. C. Everets and Mrs. C. Everets and family and Lt. James H. Williford of Randolph Field accompanied Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williford to Burnet Sunday where they were met by Mr. and Mrs. Jess Odell and Mrs. Fay Tryheart and daughter. They spent the day at Buchanan Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Williford of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mewborn Sunday.

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Alka-Seltzer

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There's no use, for a little spicy, all-vegetable BLACK-DRAUGHT, taken by simple directions, will gently persuade your bowels.

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BLACK-DRAUGHT'S main ingredient is an "intestinal tonic-laxative" which helps tone intestinal muscles. 25 to 40 doses, only 25¢.

Miss Eva Palmer
Weds Mr. Compton
In Waco Ceremony

Miss Eva Palmer, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Palmer of Gustine, became the bride of Frank Gleason Compton, son of Mrs. B. F. Compton of Pomona, California, in a twilight ceremony performed at the home of Mrs. B. W. Speed of Waco, Saturday evening, Dr. J. M. Dawson, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Waco, officiated in the single ring ceremony.

The couple was unattended.

Given in marriage by her brother-in-law, J. W. Robinson of Gustine, the bride wore a navy sheer alpaca suit which was finished with navy taffeta and white pique. Her accessories were navy and white. She wore a gardenia corsage.

The couple entered to the "Bridal Chorus" from Lohengrin, played by Miss Pollyanna Speed, a cousin of the bride. The arch under which the couple stood for the ceremony was banked with calla lilies, iris, and stock. Other flowers which were used throughout the house to promote the color scheme of orchid and white were candy tuft, anemone, and daisies. The house was lighted by white tapers.

Immediate members of the family witnessed the ceremony, and an informal reception was given for these in the same home.

Stock were used in the decoration of the table which was centered by the wedding cake. Mrs. J. W. Robinson, sister of the bride presided at the cake. Misses Billy Wyatt and Sulema Speed assisted in serving.

The bride is a graduate of Howard Payne College and Baylor University. She has been a teacher in Gustine, Waco, and Goose

Creek. The groom is a graduate of a California pharmaceutical college and is a practicing pharmacist in Gustine, Texas.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson, Miss Ella Mae Stephens, Gustine; Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Wyatt, Bryan; and Jim Wiggins, Beaumont.

PATE THANKS PUBLIC

I wish to thank the citizens of Comanche for the many courtesies extended me in my race for City Marshal. I sincerely appreciate the nice vote I received. I wish to express my friendship to all the other candidates, and point out that it was a clean race.—B. E. (Bert) Pate. (1tp)

Since the beginning of 4-H Club work on a nation-wide basis, it has reached over 8,000,000 rural young people.

Methodist Women
Hold Meeting Here

Mrs. Merlin Jenkins was leader of the Spiritual Life program of the Woman's Society of the Methodist Church on Monday afternoon. With Mrs. Mallard at the piano, "Sweet Hour of Prayer" was sung by the group. Mrs. Hampton led the opening prayer. On the program was Mrs. Combs who discussed the value of the Prayer life. Mrs. Logan Williams presided over the business session. A banquet will be served the officials of the church. Fifteen were in attendance.

JAMES MARTIN MAKES
TARLETON HONOR ROLL

Among the students making the honor roll at John Tarleton Agricultural College for the first preliminary was James Martin of Comanche.

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Carrots **2 BNCHS. 5¢**

SPUDS NO. 1 **10 LBS. 15¢**

Grapefruit **5 FOR 10¢**

Kix Marmalade Jar Free With **2 BOXES 25¢**

Easter Eggs **2 FOR 1¢ LB. BAG 15¢**

Starter Mash COTTON BLOOM **100 LB. BAG \$2.19**

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Central Christian Easter Services Set

By Rev. C. C. Klingman

Because Easter Sunday, April 13th., belongs to Gatesville, there will be a special Easter service at the Central Christian Church at eleven o'clock this Sunday, April 6th.

The pastor, Bro. C. C. Klingman, will feature the Easter message in his sermon, and there will be special Easter music under the direction of Mrs. J. B. Rudd.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bible School and Communion every Sunday at ten o'clock.

Preaching every first and third Sunday at eleven o'clock and every Sunday night at 7:30.

Because Easter Sunday, April 13th belongs to Gatesville, we are having our Easter service this Sunday, April 6th. The morning subject will be: "Now Is Christ Risen." The evening subject will be: "Faith Versus Reason."

—C. C. Klingman, Pastor.

McEvan Palmer To Play Baseball In Evangeline League

McEvan Palmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Evan Palmer of Comanche, will play professional baseball with the Rayne baseball team in the Evangeline League this year.

Palmer, who starred as first baseman with the Comanche baseball team last year, has been training with the Fort Worth Cats as a pitcher for the last month. Palmer received notice of his transfer to the Rayne, Louisiana, club this week.

Palmer will pitch for the Louisiana team.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Collins of Sterling City are in Comanche visiting his father, T. I. Collins who is ill.

Second Banquet For Jersey Breeders Set For April 16

Jersey breeders of Comanche County climaxed their banquet here Saturday night with plans to hold a second gathering and banquet at the Ridgeway Hotel Wednesday night, April 16, according to E. C. Seay, Sidney, president of the organization.

Seay stated that every person attending last Saturday night's banquet, pledged themselves to attend the April 16 meeting and bring a guest who is interested in better dairy cattle.

J. R. Shelton, widely known Brownwood Jersey breeder and dairyman delivered the principal address here Saturday night, and pointed out the increased demand for dairy cattle, of dairy products, and says within another year, the demand will be even greater.

Seay stated that since the local organization began its functions here, 163 heifer calves have been reported out of the registered Jersey bulls stood for public service by the organization.

Pettit School Board Renames Teachers

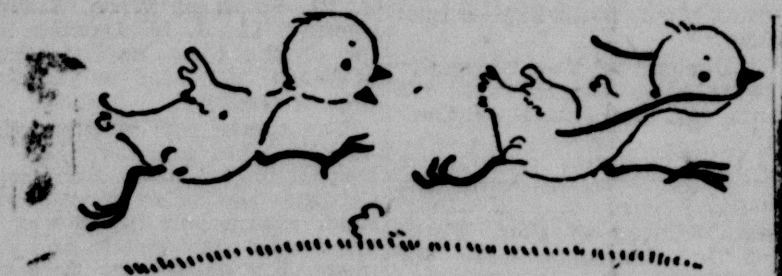
At a recent meeting of the Board of Education of the Pettit School, George R. Willis was re-elected as superintendent of the school. Mr. Willis has served the school for 12 years as superintendent and principal, which is a record that few school men in the county hold.

Miss Clodagh Pettit who has served the school for approximately five years was also re-elected as primary teacher. Miss Pettit has made an outstanding record as a teacher. Mrs. Christene Odum was not an applicant for re-election, as she does not plan to teach.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Robertson will leave Friday to visit her mother at Santa Rosa, Texas.

Mrs. R. A. Miller and daughter, Mrs. Cressie Smith of Norman, Oklahoma spent a week here with their sisters, Mrs. Kate King and Mrs. Lena Mitchell. Mrs. Mitchell returned home with them for a visit.

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Easter Eggs 2 for 5c and Big Ones, 10 for 5c!
House Shoes, Ladies' Sizes 25c
Ladies' Slips, Broadcloth 19c
Silk Hose, Full Fashion 49c
Towel, Plaid, Big 20x40 Size 14c
Vicks For 25c

J. M. Nelms Claimed By Death Saturday

James Matthew Nelms, 68, died at his home in the Briar Grove community Saturday following an illness. Funeral services were held at the Comanche Funeral Home Sunday afternoon with Rev. Archie Swearingin officiating. Interment was in the Zion Hill Cemetery.

Mr. Nelms was born in Bell County, Texas, September 28, 1872, where he lived until he moved to Dublin, Texas, in 1906. Mr. Nelms moved to Comanche County in 1917 and had been living in the Briar Grove community for the past 13 years.

Mr. Nelms is survived by his widow and ten children; also by a sister, Mrs. Florence Ship of Chickasa, Oklahoma, and by four brothers, Lark Nelms of Cisco, Shell Nelms of DeDenton, Carl Nelms of Junction, and Charlie Nelms of Comanche.

Eighty-Sixth Birthday Celebrated March 30

"Grandpa" Harbour, of Proctor, was honored Sunday, March 26, with a dinner in celebration of his eighty-sixth birthday.

Among those attending the celebration were R. S. Harbour and family of Comanche, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Brock of Proctor, Dock Anders and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jay Harbour of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Fields of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers and son of Hasse, Mrs. Dillie Towery and daughter of Cross Roads, John Brock and Earl Meadows of Oklahoma, Mrs. C. C. Guyer, Mrs. Harris, and grandson of Proctor.

SKATING EVERY MONDAY AND THURSDAY NIGHTS AT SIDNEY GYMNASIUM

There will be skating at the Sidney Gymnasium every Monday and Thursday nights according to Superintendent J. B. Cooper. The skating will begin at 7:00 o'clock.



How's Your Skin?

Troubled with unsightly blackheads that stubbornly remain? Discover what wonders a few invigorating Mrs. McKinzie facials will do to clean up your skin. . . . Don't forget to have your Easter beauty work done here, too, for most satisfaction.

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Mattress Program To Close April 30

By County Agent N. E. Scudder

All prospective applicants for the Cotton Mattress Program are hereby notified that no applications will be accepted after April 30. We are instructed to discontinue accepting applications on the date and there will positively be none filed after that time.

The Comforter program has been cancelled as far as we know and no more applications will be accepted. We presume that the reason for cancelling this feature of the program is due to the amount of material needed in the Defense plans. Since we have not ordered any material for this purpose, there will be no comforters issued in Comanche County unless further instructions are issued.

To date there has been filed 1500 applications with 1305 approved for 2006 mattresses and 195 applications rejected by the County Committee up to March 31. Nine centers are now in operation with two or three more to open soon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Doggett and Mrs. D. E. Parsley were among those who were in Comanche Friday.

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"PASTOR HALL"

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY
Dick Powell
Ellen Drew
—in—
"CHRISTMAS IN JULY"

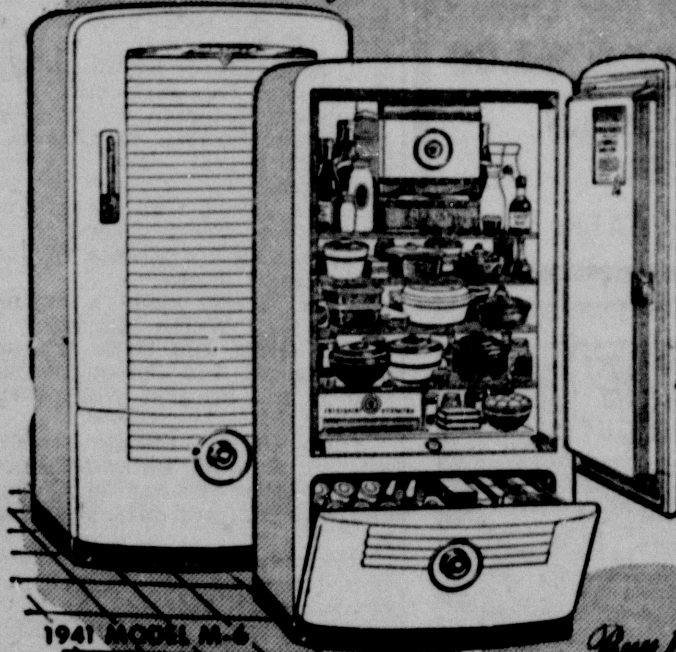
BEATTIE SCHOOL PLAY POSTPONED

The Beattie School faculty play, "Father Goes Domestic," originally announced for tonight, has been postponed until sometime next week, possibly Thursday night, according to Mrs. J. E. Lightfoot.

The cast is working hard on this play and it will be worth the money, says Mrs. Lightfoot.

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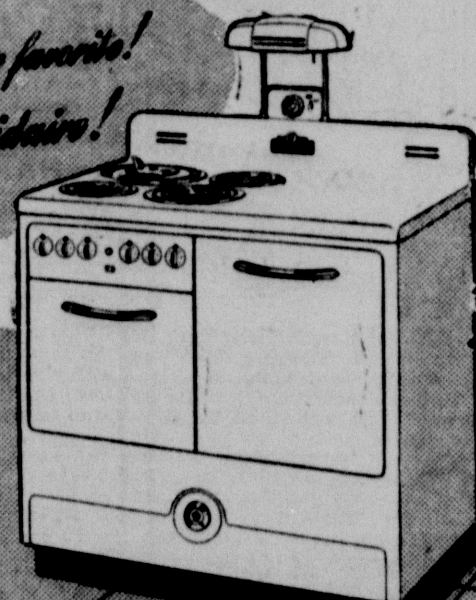
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